

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Maki SATO, et al.

Application No.: 10/581,046

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For: Thermoplastic Resin Composition for Masterbatches, Method of  
Producing Molding Material Thereof, and Thermoplastic Resin  
composition Using Them and Method of Production Thereof

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 30, 2009, applicants request that the Office Action be reconsidered in view of the amendments and remarks below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 7.